

**National Interagency Coordination Center
Incident Management Situation Report
Wednesday, June 3, 2015 - 0530 CT
National Preparedness Level 1**

National Fire Activity

Initial attack activity: Light (166 new fires)
 New large incidents: 2
 Large fires contained: 2
 Uncontained large fires: ** 2
 Area Command Teams committed: 0
 NIMOs committed: 0
 Type 1 IMTs committed: 0
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

** Uncontained large fires include only fires being managed under a full suppression strategy.

[Link](#) to Geographic Area daily reports.

Southern Area (PL 2)

New fires: 13
 New large incidents: 0
 Uncontained large fires: 1
 Type 2 IMTs committed: 1

Mud Lake Complex (2 fires), Big Cypress National Preserve, NPS. Transfer of command from IMT 2 (Bentley) back to the local unit will occur 6/5. Fifteen miles northeast of Ochopee, FL. Southern rough and grass. Creeping and smoldering. Numerous structures threatened.

Incident Name	Unit	Size			Ctn / Comp	Est	Personnel		Resources			Strc Lost	\$\$ CTD	Origin Own
		Acres	Chge	%			Total	Chge	Crews	Eng	Heli			
Mud Lake Complex	FL-BCP	35,321	0	80	Comp	NR	226	-17	4	2	4	0	8M	NPS
Bolin Slime Pit	FL-FLS	395	95	100	Ctn	---	2	0	0	0	0	0	NR	ST

FLS – Florida Forest Service

Alaska Area (PL 2)

New fires: 4
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 1

Whitefish Lake 1, Southwest Area Forestry, DOF. Started on FWS land 11 miles southwest of Kalskag, AK. Timber and short grass. Extreme fire behavior with crowning, running and torching.

* **Bogus Creek**, Southwest Area Forestry, DOF. Started on tribal land 23 miles southeast of Kalskag, AK. Short Grass. Active fire behavior with running and creeping. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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		Acres	Chge	%			Total	Chge	Crews	Eng	Heli			
Whitefish Lake 1	AK-SWS	8,798	7,398	0	Ctn	NR	84	84	4	0	0	0	752K	FWS
* Bogus Creek	AK-SWS	300	---	0	Comp	NR	0	---	0	0	0	0	1K	Tribe
Whitefish Lake 2	AK-SWS	1,000	0	100	Ctn	---	0	-8	0	0	0	0	143K	Tribe

Southwest Area (PL 2)

New fires: 13
 New large incidents: 1
 Uncontained large fires: 0

* **Guadalupe**, Coronado NF. Thirty-one miles east of Douglas AZ. Brush and short grass. Moderate fire behavior with uphill runs and single tree torching. Last report unless significant activity occurs.

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* Guadalupe	AZ-CNF	750	---	0	Comp	06/06	71	---	2	2	1	0	40K	FS

Active Incident Resource Summary						
GACC	Fires	Cumulative Acres	Crews	Engines	Helicopters	Total Personnel
AKCC	9	13,726.5	10	1	2	239
NWCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
ONCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
OSCC	1	80	2	13	0	89
NRCC	0	0	0	0	0	0
GBCC	1	748	0	3	1	23
SWCC	1	750	2	2	1	71
RMCC	1	4.5	0	1	0	4
EACC	0	0	0	0	0	0
SACC	14	50,494.4	4	5	4	246
Total	27	65,803.4	18	25	8	672

Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	4	0	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	8	0	8
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	1	0	7	4	3	15
	ACRES	0	0	0	11	0	0	11
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	14	2	16
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	25	1	26
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	2	0	19	1	22
	ACRES	0	0	1	0	47	0	48
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	1	2	3
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	3	3	0	0	3	4	13
	ACRES	42	26	0	0	12	750	830
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	2	0	0	2	0	4
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	18	0	18
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	76	0	76
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	73	0	73
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	13	0	13
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	9	0	9
TOTAL FIRES:		3	6	2	7	136	12	166
TOTAL ACRES:		42	26	1	11	192	751	1,023

Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Protection):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	37	0	0	172	10	219
	ACRES	0	6,658	0	0	4,208	65	10,931
Northwest Area	FIRES	32	16	7	11	238	74	378
	ACRES	390	4	1	11	581	116	1,103
Northern California Area	FIRES	11	1	1	0	742	114	869
	ACRES	9	0	345	0	1,290	540	2,184
Southern California Area	FIRES	9	15	8	11	1,136	102	1,281
	ACRES	12	1,878	7	11	9,336	1,872	13,116
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	408	15	2	0	407	80	912
	ACRES	3,641	4,819	4,793	0	45,843	4,000	63,096
Great Basin Area	FIRES	6	82	2	7	125	43	265
	ACRES	9	381	0	6	1,066	514	1,976
Southwest Area	FIRES	219	62	0	6	255	172	714
	ACRES	585	2,012	0	9	12,866	3,128	18,600
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	238	46	11	5	498	40	838
	ACRES	12,699	234	543	6,840	62,657	509	83,482
Eastern Area	FIRES	527	0	27	14	4,989	309	5,866
	ACRES	2,181	0	2,100	547	42,341	5,478	52,647
Southern Area	FIRES	274	0	3	6	10,593	204	11,080
	ACRES	35,371	0	84	98	133,054	11,648	180,255
TOTAL FIRES:		1,724	274	61	60	19,155	1,148	22,422
TOTAL ACRES:		54,897	15,986	7,873	7,522	313,242	27,870	427,390

Ten Year Average Fires	29,347
Ten Year Average Acres	1,333,445

*** Changes in some agency YTD acres reflect more accurate mapping or reporting adjustments. ***

Prescribed Fires and Acres Yesterday (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	2	0	0	2
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Great Basin Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Southwest Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Eastern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	2	0	2
	ACRES	0	0	0	0	170	0	170
Southern Area	FIRES	0	0	0	0	27	0	27
	ACRES		0	0	0	1,037	0	1,037
TOTAL FIRES:		0	0	0	0	29	1	30
TOTAL ACRES:		0	0	0	2	1,207	3	1,212

Prescribed Fires and Acres Year-to-Date (by Ownership):

Area		BIA	BLM	FWS	NPS	ST/OT	USFS	TOTAL
Alaska Area	FIRES	0	5	0	0	2	0	7
	ACRES	0	3,965	0	0	988	0	4,953
Northwest Area	FIRES	4	28	3	2	0	145	182
	ACRES	1,223	17,778	51	49	0	23,363	42,464
Northern California Area	FIRES	0	0	11	11	0	111	133
	ACRES	0	143	5,172	190	0	7,679	13,184
Southern California Area	FIRES	0	3	4	1	0	100	108
	ACRES	0	78	495	8	0	1,860	2,441
Northern Rockies Area	FIRES	8	31	25	4	5	109	182
	ACRES	3,560	10,580	12,488	1,590	688	16,759	45,665
Great Basin Area	FIRES	1	23	1	6	30	49	110
	ACRES	24	1,445	1,060	85	1,229	16,589	20,432
Southwest Area	FIRES	7	20	11	7	0	106	151
	ACRES	498	18,879	2,420	4,606	0	61,273	87,676
Rocky Mountain Area	FIRES	17	34	46	11	45	78	231
	ACRES	2,059	6,299	10,992	1,153	2,132	22,231	44,866
Eastern Area	FIRES	30	0	230	19	1,357	145	1,781
	ACRES	39,398	0	31,448	6,632	64,750	48,292	190,520
Southern Area	FIRES	82	0	135	11	6,930	670	7,828
	ACRES	15,633	0	107,922	14,261	453,672	595,670	1,187,158
TOTAL FIRES:		149	144	466	72	8,369	1,513	10,713
TOTAL ACRES:		62,395	59,167	172,048	28,574	523,459	793,716	1,639,359

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Additional wildfire information is available through the Geographic Areas at <http://gacc.nifc.gov/>

Canada Fires and Hectares

Provinces	Fires Yesterday	Hectares Yesterday	Fires Year-To-Date	Hectares Year-To-Date
British Columbia	6	18	395	46,727
Yukon Territory	3	580	96	28,860
Alberta	2	0	766	49,412
Northwest Territory	0	4,309	51	69,320
Saskatchewan	0	0	270	57,325
Manitoba	0	0	122	3,679
Ontario	0	0	191	2,874
Quebec	0	0	238	223
Newfoundland	0	0	60	253
New Brunswick	0	0	167	192
Nova Scotia	0	0	186	438
Prince Edward Island	0	0	0	0
National Parks	4	23,548	22	31,400
Total	17	28,460	2,566	290,702

* 1 Hectare = 2.47 Acres

Predictive Services Discussion: A trough will deepen over the West Coast, bringing scattered showers and thunderstorms from the Northwest to the Upper Midwest. A slow-moving upper low over the Southeast will produce rain and thunderstorms over the Mid-Atlantic and Southeast coasts. Southwest flow will keep hot dry conditions over the Southwest and warm and humid weather over the southern Plains and Gulf Coast region. In Alaska, scattered showers will develop over the southern part of the state with seasonable temperatures across the region. Warmer and breezy conditions will setup over the western part of the state.

<http://www.predictiveservices.nifc.gov/outlooks/outlooks.htm>

This report contains information derived from the National Fire and Aviation Management Web Applications (FAMWEB) system and other sources to provide relative information about emerging and ongoing incident activity. This information is considered operational in nature, is subject to change, and therefore may not match official year-to-date agency records.

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Escape Routes 2 (LCES)

Operational Engagement Category

Escape Routes are the path the firefighter takes from their current locations, exposed to the danger, to an area free from danger. Notice that escape routes is used instead of escape route(s). Unlike the other components, there always must be more than one escape route available to the firefighter.

Escape routes are probably the most elusive component of LCES. Their effectiveness changes continuously. As the firefighter works along the fire perimeter, fatigue and spatial separation increases the time required to reach the safety zone.

<http://www.wildfirelessons.net/6minutesforsafety> The most common escape route (or part of an escape route) is the fireline. On indirect or parallel fireline, situations become compounded. Unless safety zones have been identified ahead, as well as behind, firefighters retreat may not be possible.

- Have you ever timed an escape route? If not how do you judge its effectiveness?

- Describe a time when you were uncomfortably distant from your escape route.

- Describe a method you have used to communicate an escape route to your crews.

References:

["LCES and Other Thoughts" by Paul Gleason](#)

Have an idea? Have feedback? Share it.